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Award

Cell-based Quadrivalent Influenza Vaccine

The Common Services Agency (more commonly known as NHS National Services Scotland) ("NSS")

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02a44d

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

The Common Services Agency (more commonly known as NHS National Services Scotland) ("NSS")

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NUTS code

UKM - Scotland

Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.nhsscotlandprocurement.scot.nhs.uk/>

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA11883

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Cell-based Quadrivalent Influenza Vaccine

Reference number

NP93821b

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 33651660 - Influenza vaccines

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

This procurement is for the supply of cell-based quadrivalent influenza vaccine to NHSScotland for use in the annual seasonal influenza immunisation programme.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Value excluding VAT: £10,000,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 33651660 - Influenza vaccines

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Movianto, Unit1, Haydock Green, PennyLane, Haydock, WA119DT

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This procurement is for the supply of cell-based quadrivalent influenza vaccine for use in the annual seasonal influenza immunisation programme.

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Negotiated without a prior call for competition

- The works, supplies or services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
 - protection of exclusive rights, including intellectual property rights

Explanation:

Seqirus UK Limited are currently the sole supplier of cell-based quadrivalent influenza vaccines for which no

direct competition exists.

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

Section V. Award of contract/concession

Contract No

NP93821b

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

9 April 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

Seqirus UK Limited

Gaskill Road, Speke

Liverpool

L24 9GR

Telephone

+44 1517055677

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD72 - Liverpool

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot/concession (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £10,000,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Sherriff Court House

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VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

Economic operators should approach the contracting authority in the first instance. However, the only formal remedy is to apply to the courts:

An economic operator that suffers, or is at risk of suffering, loss or damage attributable to a breach of duty under the Public Contracts(Scotland) Regulations 2015 or the Procurement Reform (Scotland) Act 2014, may bring proceedings in the Sheriff Court or the Court of Session.